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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/603,279  
Applicant(s) : Lee Michael Teras, et al.  
Filed : June 25, 2003  
Title : METHODS FOR REDUCING ACRYLAMIDE IN CORN-  
BASED FOODS, CORN-BASED FOODS HAVING REDUCED LEVELS OF ACRYLAMIDE,  
AND ARTICLE OF COMMERCE  
TC/A.U. : 1761  
Examiner : Keith D. Hendricks  
Conf. No. : 4437  
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Customer No. : 27752

Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This responds to the Final Office Action Dated December 13, 2005. A one month extension is necessary to respond to the Final Office Action and the extension is requested by a separate paper filed herein. Please enter the following Amendments and consider the following Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 5 of this paper.

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